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REMARKS

The claims are subject to a restriction requirement pursuant to the Examiner's conclusion that two distinct inventions are claimed:

- I. claims 1-5 and 13-15 (assumed to include 15, although the Office Action indicates
 13-14); and
- II. claims 6-12 and 16-17.

The Applicant elects the claims of Group I for examination. Accordingly, claims 6-12 and 16-17 have been canceled in the amendment presented herein.

New claims 18-35 have been added by amendment, in accordance with the content of the present specification.

Entry of the present amendment, and allowance of all pending claims is earnestly solicited.

In the event there are additional charges in connection with the filing of this Response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Deposit Account No. 50-0714/LYNN/0117.A of the firm of the below-signed attorney in the amount of any necessary fee.

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